



RECREATION OPPORTUNITY GUIDE

Olympic National Forest

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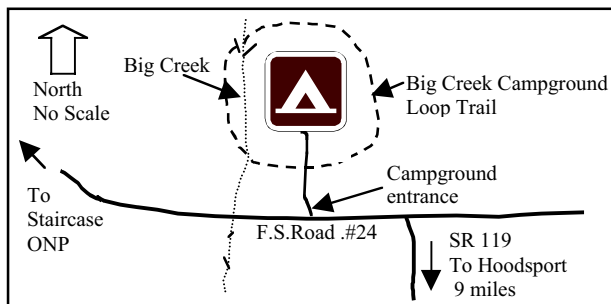
Big Creek Loop Trail #827

Recommended Season
SPRING SUMMER FALL WINTER



Hood Canal District – Hoodsport Office
150 N. Lake Cushman Rd. P.O. Box 68
Hoodsport, WA 98548 (360) 877-5254

ACCESS: Travel US Highway 101 to Hoodsport. Turn onto State Route 119 and travel 9.0 miles to the junction with FS Road #24. Turn left and drive short distance to Big Creek Campground on the right. The trailhead is located 200 feet inside the gate on left side of the campground entrance road.



FACILITIES: Facilities available at the campground, near the trailhead, include toilets, potable water, picnic shelter and campsites with fire rings and tables. When day-hiking, park at the trailhead parking lot. A camping fee is charged to park in one of the camping spurs.

SETTING: This trail follows the perimeter of the campground and crosses Big Creek at two locations. Big-leaf maple, Vine maple, western hemlock (Washington State tree), western red cedar, and Douglas-fir are common trees seen along the trail.

TRAIL INFORMATION: Trail provides a gentle mile loop around Big Creek Campground. Nice views of Big Creek from trail.

Destination	Miles	Elev.
Trailhead	0.0	950'
End of Loop	1.1	950'

OPPORTUNITIES: Day hiking, jogging, picnicking, nature walk, wildlife observation and bird watching. This trail offers a pleasant morning or evening hike for campers. Good hike for children.

Practice LEAVE NO TRACE techniques during your hike.

CLOSURES: Motorized vehicles and horses prohibited on trail.

TOPO MAPS: Mt. Skokomish-Lake Cushman Custom Correct Map.

PASS REQUIRED: A NW Forest Pass or a Golden Passport (Eagle, Age or Access) is required on each vehicle parked at trailhead. Day & Annual NW Passes are available at FS offices and vendors, but not at trailheads.



A hiker enjoys view of Big Creek from one of two trail bridges along the trail.